## ADVERTISEMENT FOR THE USE AND BENEFIT OF NESHOBA COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI

The NESHOBA COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS will receive competitive, Reverse Auction Bids via the Neshoba County website at <a href="www.neshobacounty.net">www.neshobacounty.net</a> with said Reverse Auction occurring via invitation on a date and during a time to be specified from qualified vendors in response to this solicitation for acquiring the following equipment and lease-purchase financing proposals:

a. One (1) or more, new, 2020 93 HP Backhoe Loader for the use and benefit of Neshoba County.

Detailed specifications for the above described equipment and bid forms may be obtained from the Neshoba County Board of Supervisors office at the Neshoba County Courthouse, 401 Beacon Street, Suite 201, Philadelphia, Mississippi 39350, by calling 601-656-6281 or by Neshoba County's website at <a href="https://www.neshobacounty.net">www.neshobacounty.net</a>. Neshoba County, Mississippi will determine if compliance with the specifications exist before offering the invitation for the reverse auction and before accepting any bid.

## **INSTRUCTIONS TO BIDDERS:**

All responses to this solicitation for said equipment shall be returned, with detailed proposals included therewith, less the fixed price amount to be bid, in a PDF document format, and submitted electronically at <a href="www.neshobacounty.net">www.neshobacounty.net</a> under the correct bid solicitation, by 10:00 AM, local time, on Thursday, February 6, 2020 or alternatively the detailed proposal should be placed in a sealed envelope marked "February 2020 Backhoe Bid" along with the date and time of said proposal opening, and filed with the Neshoba County Board of Supervisors. C/O Chancery Clerk Guy Nowell, 401 Beacon Street, Suite 107, Philadelphia, Mississippi 39350 by the same date and time.

It shall be incumbent upon each bidder to understand the specifications as listed herein and to obtain clarification when necessary. It is not the intent of these specifications to limit the bidding to any particular make or manufacturer of equipment or provider of services, but rather to select such equipment or services to provide for specific needs and specific tasks. Any reference to name-brand materials or equipment is intended to establish the minimum necessary standards only and bids submitted on materials and equipment there to, at the sole discretion of Neshoba County, shall be considered.

Additionally, for the equipment solicited herein the vendor shall offer a guaranteed buy back provision for said equipment at the end of three (3), four (4) and five (5) year periods which will also be utilized in the determination of the lowest and best reverse auction bid for said equipment.

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